

ELMER B. STAATS

Mr. Staats was born in Richfield, Kansas, in 1914. He received an A.B. degree from McPherson College, an M.A. degree from the University of Kansas, and a Ph.D. degree from the University of Minnesota. He was a fellow of the Brookings Institution from 1938 to 1939, and has lectured on public administration at both American and George Washington Universities. Mr. Staats began his career with the Legislative Council, Topeka, Kansas in 1936, and was with the Public Administration Service in Chicago in 1937 and 1938. He held various positions in the Bureau of the Budget from 1939 to 1953 among which were Assistant to the Director, Assistant Director in charge of Legislative Reference, Executive Assistant Director, and Assistant Director of the Bureau. In 1953 Mr. Staats served for a period as Research Director, Marshall Field & Company in Chicago. In November 1953 he was appointed Executive Officer of the Operations Coordinating Board.

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